SAY HE ELECTED HIMSELF.

Charges Made Against the Mayor

the Isle of Pines.

# STRIKE WINS IN THE WEST

Milwaukee Steel Workers Decide Unanimously to Go Out.

Chiengo Mills Expected to Fall in Line With Joliet and Wisconsin. Men-A Victory for Secretary Tighe -No Developments at Pittsburg.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 17.-With of the Amalgamated Association tonight Assistant Secretary Tighe, special repre-sentative of President Shaffer, has accomplished his mission in the West. The Bay View mills shut down tonight, the Joliet mills are also idle and the South Chicago mills will probably go out to-morrow. Mr. Tighe has accomplished his purpose and the strike has been materially strengthened.

The action of the Bay View mill employes in voting to strike tonight was big surprise. For five hours the men debated, and during that time Shaffer's Beutenant won them over and when the vote was taken each of the 172 present was for a strike. The meeting was called to order at 2:30 o'clock, the mills having been shut down to let the men decide what they wanted to do. For two hour Secretary Tighe and Vice President Davis of this district, pleaded with the men. Mr. Tighe demanded the support of the West in order to gain the strike in the East. He told the Bay View workers that it meant life or death to the asso caction; that this was a fight not only aganest the steel workers' association, but against organized labor in general All eyes were on Milwaukee tonight, he East was waiting for its action, and he felt sure that Milwaukee would not disappoint the workers.

President Redfern and ex-District Vice

President Hickey, who represented the conservative element of the lodge, counseled against the strike. They said the strike could not be strengthened by Milwankee going out: that it was a violation that the men must remain at work. There were heated discussions back and forth, but when the vote was finally taken the strike was ordered to take effect at once. About 2.000 men are affected.

Vice President Tighe, who brought about the local strike after the men had unanimously declared to remain at work, said tenight;

"This has been a great day for us. The action of Milwaukee means that every mill in the West will be closed. With the of the Joliet workers and that of doubted the loyalty of the men here. When I explained to them the situation When I explained to them the situation gers injured. The engine went through they saw that it was impossible for them the car, breaking it in twain. to refuse to assist the members in the East and they came over.

"The action of the men in the West will greatly strengthen the strike in the The strike tonight is stronger than it has been on any day since this battle

was begun."
PITTSBURG, Aug. 17.—There was little of local consequence in the steel strike today, but much interest was displayed in the reports from Joliet and Milwaukee. The Amaigamated Association is trying to persuade the tube workers of the Pennsylvania Tube Works to come out. They will have to quit work shortly anyhow, as the supply of partly finished ma-terial is running low on account of the strike in the rolling mills of the National clare that the lower union mill of the Carnegie Company is crippled by the defection of many workmen, but Manager Brown gays he has all the men he wants. The steel hoop plant in Monessen, Pa., will probably be started up on Monday. The tin plate mill there is still running, as it has been since the strike. The borough authorities have promised protection to the non-union workers who may be brought into the hoop mill.

The National Association of Glass Bottle Blowers this morning tendered practical aid to the Amalgamated strikers in the form of a donation of \$1,000 in cash. The money was turned over to National Secretary Williams by a representative of the organization. The money is to be used officials see fit. General Organizer John Pierce returned today from a trip through the Eastern iron making districts. He states that he has been at Harrisburg and other points, but refuses to say that he has visited the Duncanaville plant of the American Steel Hoop Company. There is his vocai organs give utterance to his a rumor, which Pierce refuses to verify. that several new lodges were organized in race of non-crowing fowl by means of the eastern Pennsylvania this week, and that device. later they might possibly cut off the sur ply of unfinished material. It is said that MAY NOT GET HIS INSURANCE. the Steel Trust is a heavy buyer from the suspension of their own plants.

Information that changes the strike situahe was fairly well satisfied with the local situation, and that the organization was increasing in membership in plants where

that a proposition for strike settlement secured from the Amalgamated Associa-tion officials by B. M. Caldwell had been accepted by the trust men and that ar executive board together to arrange a conference with the steel combine repre sentatives. President Shaffer denies that Mr. Caldwell had received from him any proposition to present to the combine.

McKEESPORT, Pa., Aug. 17.-The sev. eral councils of the Federation of Labor, assisted by the five lodges of the Amalgamated Association, held a mass meeting tonight in White's Opera House to celebrate the closing of the greatest week's fight in the history of labor versus capital in this city. The meeting was not as enthusiastic as the one held a week ago tonight. The theatre was only partly filled and the speakers were only ordinary. President Shaffer disappointed the nce, as he did not appear, and after waiting for an hour and filling in with local speakers the meeting closed. The knobblers of the National Tube Works met today and voted against organizing or connecting themselves with either the Amalgamated Association or Federation of Labor. It is reported that an effort will be made to break the strike at the United States Tin Plate Mills tomorrow

WILKESBARRE, Aug. 17.-President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers today held the first of a series of mass meetings at Plymouth, which are arthe amalgamation of all the mine em ployes with the United Mine Workers The occasion was made a holiday by Ply All the stores closed, the col-Beries shut down and the streets were profusely decorated. Three thousand miners were in line of parade and afterake chiefly about the refusal of the

ward Mitchell addressed a big gathering

nittee and denounced them for this celaring it was a useless and unwar anted action tending to aggravate th miners. He also declared that the com-canles are violating their agreement with the men by doing so. He would not ex-press his views on the best way to avoid he difficulty, but said the matter would e discussed at the Hazleton convention de laid special stress upon the necessity of all the employes about a mine belong-ing to one union so that their affairs night be directed by one executive body whole. He could not say if the American

ers, but predicted a great victory for the President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, left Washington Friday night and instructed his cierical assistants at Typographical Temple to refuse information as to the destination of their chief. Secretary Morrison stated that Mr. Gompers action was due entirely to a desire to avoid newspaper interrogations at a time when, he said, there was no news for the press.

Mr. Gompers is believed to have gone to the besielde of his son, who was seriously III at Atlantic City where President Gompers was summoned to Pittsburg in the first days of the steel workers strike, and whose countron has become

Federation of Labor would aid the strik-

rather critical recently.

#### THE TRAMP HONEYMOONERS. Given a Lift on a Beer Wagon and

Liquid Refreshment.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 17.-The bride and bridegroom who have been tramping through Connecticut without food and sieeping in barns, arrived here last night. They met a beer wagon at Niantie. It had just unloaded its heavy cargo at the State militia camp.

occupied the seat beside the driver. They said that it was the longest ride that they had had since they were stranded at Stamford. The driver shared his lunch with them and provided them with liquid refreshments. They refused to tell him their names, but admitted that they had been married two weeks and were walking to Providence, where the bridegroom could get work. They are said to have stayed last night at the house of a home

# An Open Switch Causes a Fatal Ac-

cident on Long Island. NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- A train on the Manhattan Beach branch of the Long Isiand Railroad coming from Concy Island Bay View, South Chicago will have to go at 11:30 o'clock tonight ran . to an open out. I am going back to Chicago at once and by Monday every worker in the West nuc and collided with a crowded trolley will be out on strike in support of the car which was waiting for the train to fight in the East. I never for a moment pass. The motorman of the trolley car pass. The motorman of the trolley car was killed and about fifteen of its passen-

# THE SHAMROCK II AFLOAT.

She Leaves Dry Dock and May Meet Sir Thomas.

NEW YORK, Aug. II.—Shamrock II, in dry dock at Eric Basin, was floated again this morning, and at II o'clock her regular tug, the James A. Lawrence, took her in tow for the anchorage at Stapleton, across the bay. Here, in company with Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin, she will remain for several days. There are no plans for tomorrow beyond the prospect of an all-day reception to curious visitors. The following days will see the salls bent and rig put in racing trim. are that if the steamship Teutonic should not come into port until next Wednesday morning one well-known passenger aboard of her would see his own processes to the writers, and intends to promote the writers, and intends to the writers, and intends to the plant with the writers.

yacht coming down the lower bay to trial spin for the challenger soon after Sir Thomas arrives here.

An Invention to Keep Roosters From

Crowing in the Morning. BROCKTON, Mass., Aug. 17.-Edgar P. Howard, of this city, has invented an appliance which he claims will keep roosters from crowing in the early morning. The device is fastened to the bill of the ro at night by a simple clasp, which does not interfere in any way with respiration. When the chanticleer rises before dawn throws back his head, and attempts to wake himself and everybody else tering a clarion note, the device restrains owner sees fit to remove the clasp will feelings. The inventor hopes to raise

## Eastern mills to offset the deficit from the New York State Official's Reply to a Summons.

President Shaffer, after examining his NEW YORK, Aug 17.—August Schwartz mail today, stated that he had received no has brought actions in the City Court to has brought actions in the City Court to collect insurance aggregating \$2.762 on his stock of embroidery goods, which was destroyed by fire on April 17 last at 58 West Third Street. He has sued the Commer-cial Fire Insurance Company, of Wilminga foothold.

Clai Fire insurance Comton, Del., the Washington insurance Company, of Washington, D. C., and the Germania Fire Insurance Company, of Chica Under the law which provides that all foreign insurance companies doing busi iess in this State must designate the State Superintendent of Insurance as the person upon whom any legal process shall be A. P. Wagner, muiled summons in each case to the State Superintendent of Insur-ance at Albany. A few days ago the following reply was received:

"Dear Sir: Your letter of the 39th ultime "Dear Sir: Your letter of the 19th ultimo is received, enclosing check No. 1516 on the Union Square Bank to my order as Superintendent, for \$6, together with summons in duplicate in suit of August Schwartz against the Washington Insurance Company, of Washington, D. C., the Germania Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, and the Commercial Fire Insurance Company, of Wilmington, Del. None of these corporations has any authority to transact business of insurance in the State of New York, and I am therefore not the attorney for service of process. For that reason the above described check and processes are herewith returned without admission of service.

service. "Any person acting as agent or otherwise for said corporations in this State is subjecting himself to the penalties by our statutes, except where policies of insurance may be written through any of the uly licensed special agents under the pro-\speed dully of twenty knots an hour. This isions of section 137 of the insurance law, | was done without any attempt at high

Yours, respectfully, "FRANCIS HENDRICKS, Supt." Mr. Schwartz's counsel has not deter-mined what he shall do next.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Lu-ania, Liverpool; Maracas, Glasgow. Arrived out: Vaderland, from New York at Antwerp, Campaula, from New York at Liverpool; Barbarossa, from New York at Southampton; La Normandie, from New York at Havre.

\$1.25 to Bultimore and Return Via B. & O. Saturday and Sunday,

# LIBERAL POWER WANING.

The First Parliament of Edward VII Disappointing to Many.

General Note of Dissatisfaction Against the Government-The Influence of the House of Commons

LONDON, Aug. 17.-King Edward today closed the first parliamentary session of his reign with the customary speech from the throne, in which he thanked the legisto this address was obtained by telegraph from Homburg. It is always a formality and was particularly empty today. The

Times, in a review of the proceedings of Parliament since last February, says: "It has been a disappointing and unpro-ductive session. It has showed no trace of the energy and enthusiasm that might asonably be looked for after the signal and incontestable party victory."

A similar note of dissatisfaction marks he commentary of the Conservative "Saturday Review." It says: "It would be idle to question that the general result of the session has been to deepen the impression of the Government's weakness, generally. This year the House of and has long since been a waning force

in the country."

It is accepted on all hands that this is ramping through Connecticut without go and the fact has been emphasized by money, fishing in rivers and lakes to get the amount of time devoted to wrangling over procedure in the House of Com-mons, which was chiefly occasioned by Niantic. It had just unloaded its heavy the Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour's wholesale use of clotures. There has practically been no legislation and there is no sign to New London. The bridegroom sat on a pile of empty beer kegs, while the bride but there has been a prodigious amount of crimination and recrimination over the South African policy, which the temper of the disputants forced on the House. No matter what topic was nominally on the day's programme, trouble circulated around Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's militant personality without, it must be confessed, his losing any of that remarkable ascendancy which he holds over an assembly where he never seeks to attract personal sympathy. After six months' debate his organ, the "Birmingham Post," summarizes the situation to-day by saying that nobody has been converted on the lines of difference raised by the war, which are the same as those

before the general election of 1900, and the men behind them are the same. The "Post" proceeds to note with regret-that economy has become a dead science. Any amount of millions are voted without other criticism than a pious trust that the result will in some degree justify the outizens, who are inviting a new experiment

in imperial administration.

The effect of this development has been that the elected legislators are now in-creasingly used mere'y to register the decrees of central governing groups. The men whose gratified ambition is a seat in there. the House of Commons complain of their that even their own constituents sympathize with their position or resent the lack of effect of their votes.

It has become known here that the theatrical speculator, A. H. Chamberlyn, who is understood to be in New York, says he has nequired the rights to the of her would see his own green-hulled Vyning. It can be stated authoritatively of her would see his own green-inded yacht coming down the lower bay to meet him. At any rate, there will be a trial spin for the challenger soon after (Cordovs who are the authors of the play is not injured, but probably benefited, the cane blown down having raised trial spin for the challenger soon after (Cordovs who are the authors of the play itself with dry weather. The Mississippi Cordova, who are the authors of the play, says he has not assigned any right to Mr. not given their consent. Mr. Chamberlyn, ut a year ago, cabled the authors an offer for the rights of production, which they refused to accept. This was the only communication they had with Mr. Chamberlyn, and if he attempts to produce the play in America it will probably be a case

# CRISPI'S FORTUNE SMALL.

Italy May Pension the Dead States man's Widow.

ROME, Aug. 17.-Although it has been stated that Signor Crispl's fortune amounted to 500,000 lire, it is said that his debts, which will have to be liquidated by the executors, will entirely swallow this amount. The Italian Government, therefore, will probably ask the Chamber of Deputies to vote a pension to the widow This, as well as a proposal for a national monument to the dead statesman and pament by the Extreme Left. Mme. Mentuesson, Crispl's laundry

woman wife, from whom he was diverced, obtaining a widow's share of the dead

#### NEW YACHT FOR THE KAISER. The Emperor Fixes His Choice on a Forty-Footer.

There are really no big yachts racing in falo and Southwestern. It English waters now, and the two Shamrocks have done nothing in public regatably not welcome Whittaker Wright, the promoter, who is the owner of the Sybarita, as an antagonist.

Lord Dunraven has also ordered a forty-footer. After his experience in America with the Valkyrie III he soured considerably on yachting, but he has decided resume the sport, and a boat is already being built for him. He will race himself

Turbine Steamer Makes High Speed. LONDON, Aug. 17 .- A report just issued in regard to the steamship Firth of Clyde which is fitted with turbine engines, and shows that she has made an average speed daily of twenty knots an hour. This

Prof. Keener Resigns

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- Prof. William A. Keener, for ten years Dean at the School of Law of Columbia University, has resigned his position, and Prof. George W. Kirchway, the acting dean, has taken ad ministrative charge at the school. Prof. Keener will, however, retain his chair is

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sing July 5, all trains Fridays and Satcaused to return until following Tuesday,
cause Cite, Cause May, Sea Jaic City, and

HAVANA, Aug. 17 .- An election contest in the Isle of Pines is giving the mili-

tary authorities of Cuba some trouble and it may be that the whole affair will have to be adjudicated by the Secretary of War. Pending the determination of to the United States it has been decided same manner that the municipalities and provinces of Cuba are controlled. cordingly an election was held some time ago for an alcalde of the isle of Pines.

Before this election there was a mayor and he decided to enter the contest as candidate. His name is Juan Manne Sanchez. His opponent was Juan Man-ual Noda. The election was held at Nueva Gerona, and after the count it was de clared that Sanchez was victorious, Noda has appealed to the military authorities to investigate the election. His petition to Colonel Scott, who is acting in the absence of General Wood, says that 233 votes were cast and that just before sandown on election day, Sanchez in his capacity as mayor closed the vothig place, went inside, and remained twenty minutes, during which time he so arranged mat

ters that the judges declared him elected. Noda declares in his paper that he has affidavits of 190 persons who voted for him and that this should be accepted as proof of fraud on the part of Sanchez The feeling on the island has become se strong against Sanchez that it is feared trouble may ensue. Noda went to Havana and took with him about thirts

of his adherents to help prove his case Meanwhile Colonel Scott directed Lieu tenant Wells to go to the Island and in-vestigate the whole subject and make a report to the Military Governor. Upo this report some action will be taken, and if it shows fraud on the part of Sanchez he will be removed and Noda installed.

#### THE LOSSES ON THE GULF.

Nine Persons Drowned and Many Vessels Wrecked in the Storm. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 17.—The total oss of life in this section by Thursday's hurricane is now known to be nine persons, as follows:

Miss Ella Cobden, Miss Birdie Cobden. Mrs. Rosa Walker, and Miss Ida Walker, Peter Yesef and Blaine Davidson, two

sailors of the Biloxi, both at Quarantine a fisherman at Shell Beach, and two unknown sailors on the Gulf side of Ca

Both at Port Eads and on Mississing Sound the hurricane is declared to have been the worst ever known. On the lower coast the people say that a tidal wave swept over the east bank of the Mississippi, putting all the lands several feet lay. There have been many developments under water. It was here that the Cobduring this session which point strongly den and Walker families were drowned. to the truth of the statement that the Most of the residents were rescued by country has reached a critical phase of evolution, where there will be neither legislation nor debate of the interests of its cit-500 rations daily to the refugees who had sought protection from the storm at the fort. Shell Beach was inundated and completely destroyed. The entire popula-tion, except the one man drowned, was taken to Y'Kloskey plantation and is still

The following additional vessels are dwindling importance. There is no sign known to be lost: H. J. Dixon, en route to Brownsville with a cargo of machinery; Virginia, Eclipse, Mamie M., Wild Cat, Chevas, and Bertha H. Nothing has been heard from the luggers fishing of the oyster beds in Plaquemine Parish. A relief expedition left here last night to look them up. In all eight vessels wrecked on Lake Pontchartrain and three

The rice crop of Plaquemine is injured 30 per cent by the storm. The sugar cane Cordova, who are the authors of the play, Moreover, the owner of the English rights Gulf and Ship Island Rathroad, is also a beneficiary of the storm, the waves hav ing cut a channel of twenty-three feet through to the port. An artificial channel

The Weather Bureau anemometer at Port Eads registered a wind of seventytwo miles an hour, when the instrument

#### BIG GUNS JAR TWO TOWNS. Practice With 13-Inch Rifles Smash

es Glass and Deafens People. HULL, Mass., Aug. 17 .- Target practic with the big thirteen-inch guns at Fort Warren yesterday afternoon caused such reverberations of the atmosphere as to shatter hundreds of dollars' worth of windows at Pemberton Battery Heights eastern side of the island and were pointed out toward Boston light. For about an hour the firing continued at intervals and at every report many panes were

Although the fort is about two miles away, the detonations were deafening to the residents of Hull and hundreds of result of the firing.

#### DERAILED BY A WASHOUT. A Train Wreck With no Casualties

Near Croton, N. Y. POUGHKEEPSIE, Aug. 17.-The South western special on the Hudson River Railroad, due here at 11:15 p. m., was has decided to build a new forty-foot yacht. He has found that the Metsor plans by herself, and it is no here whether any lives were lost. to make thirty-five minutes' allowance. exposition special, advertised as the Bufsame stops as the Empire State Express, Poughkeepsie, Albany, Utica, Syracuse

and Rochester. It was learned at the Grand Central Station tonight that no one was hurt.

## SWIFT'S TREASURER GONE.

A Trusted Official of the New York Agency Sought by Police. NEW YORK, Aug. E-It is learned to night that John T. Hayden, of 352 Third venue, who for the last five or six years has been secretary and treasurer New York corporation of Swift & Co. wholesale butchers, with main office at I Tenth Avenue, has been missing since ednesday and that a shortage has been discovered in his books. Just how muc the shortage will amount to a member of the concern said tonight he did no know, but he says it will not by any means reach \$50,000, which amount was samed in a current report. Hayden had been connected with the oncern for several years as clerk and

ater as an accountant before he was secretary and treasurer, and was known to be very able and thought to be perfectly honest in all his dealings. The Pinkerton detective agency we isked today to hunt up Hayden, and tole

that the auditor of the company, John Shaplin, came on from Chicago a few found the accounts in a tangled condi-

#### ITALY MAY ROUSE AUSTRIA CUT IN TWO BY A LINER.

Her Claims in the Adriatic a Men ace to the Dreibund.

Press Over the Albanian Question-The Attacks Believed to Have Been Inspired by the Ministry

LONDON, Aug. 17.-The Austrian-Italsiderably during the present week. So far as Italy is concerned the controversy has become a fierce polemic between the the rest of the press on the other. The "Populo Romano" alone insists upon the necessity of a policy of loyalty toward Italy's ally, Austria, on all Eastern questions. The other papers, including the ministerial organs, advocate vigorous acion in Albania.

It is impossible to avoid the conclusion that the Italian press have received orders to fight Austria tooth and nail. They have accordingly entered a campaign much more violent than was carried on against France after the Franco-Italian commercial rupture. There is some reason to fear that the present newspaper campaign was designed deliberately to prepare the public mind of Europe, as well as of Italy, for drastic action in the

It is very significant that all the official nd semi-official news agencies in Rome this week published a note which was directly inspired by the Foreign Ministry, stating that Italy before renewing the Dreibund will insist upon such modifica-tion of existing treaties as will give guaranties for the maintenance of the equili-

The note also states that the interests of Italy and other powers in the Balkans must be made clearer by new treaties. In furtherance of the maintenance of the Adriatic equilibrium the Italian Govern-ment proposes to convert beautiful Venice into a military post of the first class. The general staff of the army have communi-cated the scheme to the Ministry of Marine. It involves an expenditure of 20,000,-060 lire, and has been approved by the Cabinet. It will be submitted to the Chamber at the autumn session. What Austria will have to say to this remains to be seen

widest circulated paper in Italy, has particularly distinguished itself in the news-paper war against Austria, and also as the chief organ of the Conservative party. Much importance, therefore, is naturally attached to its editorial views. It warned the Government yesterday that if immediate steps were not taken to reach an understanding in regard to Albania a very serious conflict would arise with Austria, which would make a renewal of the Triple

### DEATHS IN REFUGE CAMPS.

Many Fatalities Among Children Reported From South Africa. LONDON, Aug. 17 .- An official paper announces that there were 1.675 deaths of blacks and whites in the refugee camps in

July. Of this number, 1,288 were children. The deaths were mainly due to an epi-demic of measles in the Orange River Colony and to pneumonia due to the excessive cold of the South African winter, CHEERS FOR FITZHUGH LEE.

Ex-Union Soldiers Warmly Welcome Him at Chautauqua. CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 17.-Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, ex-United States Consul at Havana, was given a splendid ovation by the members of the Grand Army at Chaufrom the civil war down to date. Several times he attempted to abbreviate the account of his experiences in Havana and

"I was nervous when I went to bed." he said, "because I did not know whether I would wake up in Havana or elsewhere, and when one day I looked out over the bay and saw the Maine sweeping into the the American men behind the guns it was

Discussing the explosion, General Lee said: "I do not believe General Blanco or the Spanish authorities had any more to do with it than I did. I think some of the young hot-headed Spanish officers of the Weyler faction experimented with explosives and were successful in their

experiments." The general told how he sought Captain Sigsbee after the explosion and how each prepared a message to their respective

"Mine was the same as Sigsbee's, with one exception," he said. "I recommended that the President send a fleet and send it quick, but adopting Sigshee's advice. I cut out that portion, although I am afraid

I was feeling a little ugly about that The general characterized General Grant declared that the territory acquired by the Spanish war should never be given up. The old soldlers gave him three cheers and he spent an hour shaking hands and posing for camera fiends.

# CLAIM HE HAS TWO WIVES.

A Tailor Arrested in Baltimore on Bigamy Charge.

BALTIMORE, Aug., 17.-Nathan Simon, aged twenty-eight years, was committed for the action of the Criminal Court by ing committed bigamy by marrying Fanny Simon, when he knowingly had a wife living. He is said to have a wife and three children living at present in New York, and he admitted himself that he The second wife, who was a Miss Fannie the woman, it was stated, being the New York wife. It is understood that efforts may be made to have the first wife brought on to Baltimore to give her testimony, when the case comes up again. The Rosenthal invoices consisted of a Wife No. 2, whose home is in Philadel-shipment of fifteen cases of Japanese ohis, stated that she had been married the ceremony having taken place in Phil-She learned that Simon had been in Baltimore for the last two weeks and then she swore out the warrant be-fore Justice Ross. Simon was found in northwest Baltimore by Sergeant Potter. ed that wife No. 2 also had another husband, but this she denied.

Senator Fairbanks Slightly Burt. MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. E .- Senator Fair inks of Indiana was slightly injured on ine hand in a runaway accident in this city early this evening. While out driv-ing with Robert G. Evans the horse be-came unmanageable and both men jump-ed from the carriage, each receiving slight broises and a general shaking up.

Pilot Boat Run Down and Fon Men Lost.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.-The pilot boat James Gordon Bennett, one of the finest and fastest of the remaining schooners of the Pilots' Association, was run down off Scotland lightship this afternoon by the Hamburg-American steamship Alene oound out for Jamaica and was cut

Out of the wreckage, two bodies were picked up. Two were not found. The men who lost their lives were:

PILOT HARRY MIX of St. Paul's Avenue stapleton, Staten Island.
PILOT JOHN T. GODBY, of Brooklyn.
PILOT JOHN M. LENNAN, of Brooklyn.
STEWARD JOHN GRUBE, of Stapleton.

Seven other pilots were saved. The pilot bont left Stapleton at o'clock this morning to go on duty south of the Scotland lightship and about two miles east of the bar. She had just reached the station at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was hove to on the port tack, heading to the west with Mix at the wheel and in command and the crew busy in the rigging, preparing to shorten sail for easy going. Two of the crew were asleep. Grube, the steward, was in the galley forward.

The men who were on deck in the pilot boat said after it was all over that they did not even get a glimpse of the Alene until the sharp bow of the freighter was intents and purposes, and she was going out at full speed on a trip to West In-dian ports, after having discharged E. R. Micholl, her pilot. The pilot boat men say she gave no signal to warn them, although the pilot boat, being a sailing

craft, had the right of way. When the Bennett's men saw their danger they gave one big shout to warn three men below and then everybody jumped who could jump. The big freighter cut into the starboard side of the Bennett, just abaft of the main rigging, and in a minute or two the haives of the Bennett's hulk sank, one of each side of the Alene. The Alene's engines were stopped as soon as they could be, although she was half a mile away by that time, and her officers hurried two boats down from the davits to the rescue. These boats picked up all who were alive then, and also the body of Pilot Mix, which was found floating face downward and apparently not even scratched

# MR. M'KINLEY AT HIS FARM.

The President Views His Crops and Stock Near Canton.

CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 17.-President Mc-Kinley spent today at his farm about ing the property and taking a substantial country dinner with Farmer Jack Adams, his tenant. It is the first time he has been on the farm since he became Presi-be made dent, and be first meal he has eaten servation. there in seven years. The trip was made in the private car of Colonel Herrick. Chairman of the Wheeling and Lake Eripoard of directors, who, with his wife and son, Parmelee Herrick, are house guests at the McKinley home. The party was composed of the President, Secretary Herrick, Parmelee

Herrick, and Dr. Rixey. Farmer Adams had two substantial country surreys at the station to meet the party, and when the farm was reached, a thorough inspection was made. A drive was taken around the fields, the crops discussed, the barn and sheep stable visited, and the live stock paraded through the barnyard for review. Three of the President's horses are there and apparently improving under Adams' care. He is to be allowed to keep the sorrel until next spring in the hope of de-veloping him into a good roadster.

The visit was a surprise to the little Devney and Hutchinson have been retaintown of Minerva, and no reception could ed by the Rev. M. F. A. Eston, colored, be prepared, but, while the party were editor of the "American Race Problem at the farm, flags and bunting were haul- and paster of the A. M. E. Zion Church ed out for decorations, and a big crowd of Fond du Lac, to bring suit for slander each time the old soldiers shouted "Go gathered at the station for an informal against Senator Tillman for his demonstration. The McKinley farm is here recently against negroes and in favor ing community. Jack Adams has man- ing up the facts, and will begin action as tention is devoted to sheep and horses and more ground is put in potatoes than

## WRIGHT BEATS HOBART.

Only One Match at the Newport Tennis Tournament.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 17.-Only or natch was scheduled this morning in the championship lawn tennis tournament at Casino, that between Clarence Hobart of New York, and Beals C. Wright. of Harvard, in the third round.

The weather was perfect and a large crowd of fashionable enthusiasts the ed into the big enclosure early in the

Before the match there were hosts of people who were anxious to bet on Wright's chance and 5 to 2 was freely offered on the result without takers. A few bets were made at even money that Hobart would not get a set.

### THE NEW YORK SILK SEIZURE. Action of Custom House Officials

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.-The seizure yesterday of the Japanese slik goods im-tember 5 he will attend the reunion of the ported by A. S. Rosenthal & Co., of 45 veterans of Vermont at Burlington, and Greene Street, has created something of a sensation among silk merchants and to-day there was considerable speculation After junction, be will deliver an address as to whether any more seizures were to at the follow. Appraiser Wakeman would not and while in the South will visit Roswell, say this morning whether or not he suspected the existence of any other false in-voices, but said that the investigation he has begun was far from being complet-

The selzure of the Rosenthal sliks by had married a woman, who is still living. declaration that the goods showed an excess of weight over that stated in the in Cohen, and who had him arrested yes- voice. The importers were so angry about terday, appeared at the hearing. Pictures the matter that they insisted upon a re-were produced showing Simon and anappraisement. It was arranged that Colother woman, and several other people, lector Bidwell, Appraiser Wakeman, Col. Dudley F. Phelps, Chief of the Law Dicision of the Customs House, and a member of the Rosenthal firm should be present when the goods were weighed.

silks, valued at \$5,500, and three cases of Japanese silks, dyed at Lyons, France nd valued at \$2,000. When a discrepancy in the weights wa ound to exist the appraiser made the re-

turn against the Rosenthal firm of false appraisement. The next move to be made n the matter will be the report of Collecf the seizure of the goods.

The presence in the city at this time of assistant Secretary Spaulding is regarded s significant. A member of the Rosenstanding the fact that the good name of the firm had been called into question, no statement would be issued at the present time, but one might be looked for soon.

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# A BLUNDER AIDS M'LAURIN

The Convention Will Disown His Expulsion From the Party.

senator Tillman Realizes That a Mistake Has Been Made-Executive Committee Finds Its Action Unsatisfactory to South Carolina.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 17 .- The result of the recent anti-McLaurin meetings at Union and Chester, which were intended to be monster gatherings, was not wholly satisfactory to the promoters, nor has the action of the Democratic Executive Comnittee in declaring McLaurin to be ide the pale of the party met with the reception that was anticipated. Many op-ponents of McLaurin concede that in this case Senator Tillman made a false move so wething that he has seldom done in State politics. And the senior Senator has himself been quick to recognize the blunder, for he now declares he does not wish to have McLaurin ruled out of the pri-

mary.
The facts that the committee's action was taken at a meeting called for an-other purpose; that there was no notice given the junior Senator; that Tillman forced the resolution through, and that twelve of the twenty-one men who voted with Tillman are credited with having since repudiated their action as prema ture and improper, have not strengthened a plan of action the wisdom of which was onsidered doubtful at best.

nity to cry "bossism" and point out that the course is inconsistent with the teachings of Tillman a decade ago, when "the people" were "considered competent to settle any question," and those who are wavering are surprised at a course that seems to indicate a fear of the leaders on the other side to let McLaurin's views

be passed on in a primary.

As the present committee will only hold office until next May its action can have no binding effect on next summer's campaign, consequently sympathy has been excited for McLaurin, while no headway has been made against him by the rulingout action. That can have no practical effect unless the convention next May pursues a similar course or the new com-mittee re-adopts the resolutions. In the latter event it is doubtful if, under the constitution of the party, a candidate can be forced out of the primary if he is will-

ing to take the oath prescribed.

The convention will probably go back on Senator Tiliman's first plan to keep McLaurin out of the primary by changing the oath so as to require allegiance to the national party platform. Because of the changed sentiment toward silver or the general feeling that it is a dead issue, the Kansas City platform will probably not be made the standard without some re-

#### A BREEZY BID FOR THE TOGA. Ex-Governor Evans, of South Caro.

lina. Is a Candidate. AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 17.-In an interview ex-Gov. John Gary Evans most em-phatically announces himself a candidate for the junior Senator's seat in the United States Senate from South Carolins. He expresses himself as belonging to the unmaster but the Democracy of his State. As the ex-Governor is from Sparta, he will be an important factor in the next

# TALKS OF SHING TILLMAN.

A Wisconsin Negro Claims His Race

Was Sinndered. MARINETTE, Wis., Aug. 17.-Attorneys

soon as the papers can be drawn.

In a speech Eston made at the Opera. House last night he said that Tillman secured the office of United States Senator by murder and arson. He read editorial articles from many leading Southern papers in support of these assertions. Mr. Eston closed by saying that if every slaveholder before the war had received the punishment of hanging for assaults on black women there would have been no war, as nearly all the white men in the

## ROOSEVELT WITH HIS CHILD.

The Vice President's Daughter Recovering From an Operation.
OYSTER BAY, L. L., Aug. 17.-Vice President Roosevelt left tonight for New York and will remain with his daughter, Alice, at the Roosevelt Hospital until next Tuesday, when he will return here. Mrs. Roosevelt will remain with him. The operation made necessary by the abcess in Miss Roosevelt's teeth was only slight Today the Vice President looked aver his mail with his secretary. August 20 he will attend the encampment of the National Guard of Illinois and September 2 the State Fair at Minneapolis. On Sepon September 6 he will speak before the Fish and Game League at Isle Lamotte. Booker T. Washington University

#### Ga., his mother's old home FORTY IPOLS COMING HERE.

The Smithsonian Institution Will Receive a New Mexican Gift. SANTA FE, N. M., Aug. 17.-Ex-Gov.

I. P. Prince, formerly of New York, today shipped forty stone idols of his collection to the Smithsonian at Washington, the oficials of that institution having repea ly urged him to do so. The forty idols epresent the different types of historical relies of New Mexico, and are in the shape human faces and figures and animals. The majority are made of tufa, but some of much harder stone. Governor ne of its kind in the world.

#### FOUND THEIR FATHER DEAD. Children Aim to Surprise Him and

Learn of His Drowning. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 17.deiphia, was drowned in the surf near Helm's Pier about 5:30 o'clock this afteron. His body has not yet been recov-

orest.

Mr. Collins' son and daughter arrived there from Philadelphia unexpectedly this evening to surprise him with a visit, They were overcome with grief when the said news was conveyed to them. SIG To Louisville and Return 816 Vin B. & O. R. R.